



*The Anglican Parish of*

**Holy Trinity Lara with  
Christ Church Little River**

**ANNUAL GENERAL  
MEETING  
10:15 AM**

**Zoom Service**

**9:00am**

**Sunday November 22<sup>nd</sup> 2020**

# Sunday November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2020 Year A

## Christ the King Sunday

*Welcome to the Service of the Anglican Parish of  
Holy Trinity Church, Flinders Ave, Lara with  
Christ Church, Rothwell Rd, Little River  
Parish Locum— The Rev. Lynne Clarke*

### **Readings**

- Ezekiel 34.11-16, 20-24
- Psalm 100
- Ephesians 1.15-23
- Matthew 25.31-46

### **Hymns**

Rejoice, The Lord is King

*(TIS: Together In Song EW: Essential Worship Kevin Mayhew, AHB: Australian Hymn Book, MP: Mission Praise.)*

Check out the parish website and Facebook page: *Holy Trinity Lara with Christ Church Little River* to keep up to date!

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## **S**entence:

O shout to the Lord in triumph all the earth. Serve the Lord with gladness and come before his face with songs of joy.

Psalm 100.1

## **P**ayer of the week:

Stir up, we pray you, O Lord,  
the wills of your faithful people,  
that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works,  
may by you be plenteously rewarded;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **A reading from Ezekiel** (34.11-16, 20-24)

**F**or this is what the Sovereign Lord says: I myself will search for my sheep

and look after them. 12 As a shepherd looks after his scattered flock when he is with them, so will I look after my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places where they were scattered on a day of clouds and darkness. 13 I will bring them out from the nations and gather them from the countries, and I will bring them into their own land. I will pasture them on the mountains of Israel, in the ravines and in all the settlements in the land. 14 I will tend them in a good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel will be their grazing land. There they will lie down in good grazing land, and there they will feed in a rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. 15 I myself will tend my sheep and make them lie down, declares the Sovereign Lord . 16 I will search for the lost and bring back the strays. I will bind up the injured and strengthen the weak, but the sleek and the strong I will destroy. I will shepherd the flock with justice. 20 “Therefore this is what the Sovereign Lord says to them: see, I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. 21 Because you shove with flank and shoulder, butting all the weak sheep with your horns until you have driven them away, 22 I will save my flock, and they will no longer be plundered. I will judge between one sheep and another. 23 I will

place over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he will tend them; he will tend them and be their shepherd. 24 I the Lord will be their God, and my servant David will be prince among them. I the Lord have spoken.

Hear the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**P** salm 100

1 O shout to the Lord in triumph, all the earth: **serve the Lord with gladness, and come before his face with songs of joy.**

2 Know that the Lord he is God: **it is he who has made us and we are his; we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.**

3 Come into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: **give thanks to him, and bless his holy name.**

4 For the Lord is good, his loving mercy is for ever: **his faithfulness throughout all generations.**

**A reading from Ephesians** (1.15-23)

**F**or this reason, ever since I heard about your faith in the Lord Jesus and

your love for all God's people, 16 I have not stopped giving thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers. 17 I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better. 18 I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people, 19 and his incomparably great power for us who believe. That power is the same as the mighty strength 20 he exerted when he raised Christ from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly realms, 21 far above all rule and authority, power and dominion, and every name that is invoked, not only in the present age but also in the one to come. 22 And God placed all things under his feet and appointed him to be head

over everything for the church, 23 which is his body, the fullness of him who fills everything in every way.

Hear the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

### **The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew** (25.31-46)

#### **Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ**

**W**hen the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, he will sit on his glorious throne. 32 All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate the people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. 33 He will put the sheep on his right and the goats on his left. 34 ‘Then the King will say to those on his right, “Come, you who are blessed by my Father; take your inheritance, the kingdom prepared for you since the creation of the world. 35 For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, 36 I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was ill and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.” 37 ‘Then the righteous will answer him, “Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink? 38 When did we see you a stranger and invite you in, or needing clothes and clothe you? 39 When did we see you ill or in prison and go to visit you?” 40 ‘The King will reply, “Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.” 41 ‘Then he will say to those on his left, “Depart from me, you who are cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels. 42 For I was hungry and you gave me nothing to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, 43 I was a stranger and you did not invite me in, I needed clothes and you did not clothe me, I was ill and in prison and you did not look after me.” 44 ‘They also will answer, “Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or needing clothes or ill or in prison, and did not help you?” 45 ‘He will reply, “Truly I tell you, whatever you did not do for one of the least of these, you did not do for me.” 46 ‘Then they will go away to eternal punishment, but the righteous to eternal life.’

For the gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**



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## LOCUM

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## LET US PRAY FOR THE CHOOSING OF OUR NEW INCUMBENT

Bountiful God,

give to this parish a faithful pastor

who will faithfully speak your word and minister your sacraments; an encourager who will equip your people for ministry and enable us to fulfil our calling.

Give to those who will choose, wisdom, discernment and patience, and give to us warm and generous hearts, for Jesus Christ's sake. **Amen.**

# **Lara Food Relief Christmas HAMPERS 2020**

It is approaching Christmas again and we would like to make up Christmas Hampers to be distributed to needy families in Lara.

Last year the recipients of these hampers were overwhelmed and so grateful for the generosity and joy these hampers brought to their Christmas Celebrations. I also have a few clients who have needed our help throughout this year that I would like to give a hamper to as life has been a real struggle for them.

Lara Food Relief is an important part of our Mission and Outreach to our local community and we do need to have the continued support of our Parishioners throughout the year to keep this very necessary service available to those in need. We are very grateful for the continued support of so many of our local organisations and especially to The Bendigo and District Bank whose continued generous financial support is so vital to maintaining a constant supply of food.



## Suggestions for the Food Hampers

Christmas puddings, Fruit mince tarts, Shortbread, Biscuits,  
Gingerbread,

Chips (preferably Pringle in tins), Pretzels, Savory Shapes,  
Crackers etc

Meringue nests, Pavlova, Brandy baskets, Glace fruits,  
Custard/Custard powder

Soft Drink, Chocolates, Sweets

Tinned Fruit, Berry jams, honey, lemon curd, jellies

Nuts, Fruit and nut mixtures

Salad Dressings, Gravox Gravy, tins or packets, Chicken Stock

Tinned Hams

Tinned fish. Tinned vegetables

Bon Bons small packets, Christmas serviettes

Anything else “Christmassy” that you might think of will be very  
much appreciated.



We will pack and deliver the Hampers on Wednesday the 19<sup>th</sup> of  
December at 1pm and volunteers to help with this task will be  
very much appreciated.

**Any queries please contact Warren Rumble 0408056452 or  
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Thank you.